IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA ASHEVILLE DIVISION 1:06cv257

CYNTHIA M. BEAM; and DONALD L. BEAM,)
Plaintiffs,)
Vs.) ORDER
MERCK & CO., INC.,)
Defendant.)))

THIS MATTER is before the court on defendant Merck & Co., Inc.'s and plaintiffs' Motion to Stay All Proceedings Pending Transfer Decision by the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation. Having considered defendant Merck & Co., Inc.'s and plaintiffs' motion and reviewed the pleadings, the court enters the following Order.

ORDER

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that defendant Merck & Co., Inc.'s and plaintiffs' Motion to Stay All Proceedings Pending Transfer Decision by the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation (#5) is **GRANTED**, and all proceedings in this matter are **STAYED** pending transfer by the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation.

Signed: October 16, 2006

Dennis L. Howell United States Magistrate Judge